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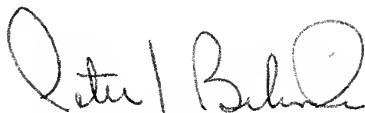
In regard to the above-identified issued patent and pursuant to applicable sections of 37 CFR §§ 1.27, 1.28 and MPEP §509.03, Applicant herein respectfully requests to make payment of deficiencies owed as itemized in the table below:

Date	Transaction	Fee Paid	Fee to be Paid at current Large Entity rates	Deficiency Owed
2003-07-10	Filing fee for Small entity status	530.00	1090.00	560.00
2003-07-23	Petition under 37 CFR 1.182 to Convert a National Application which was filed under 35 USC 371 to an Application filed under 35 U.S.C. 111(1)	130.00	400.00	270.00
2005-08-09	Request for Continued Examination	395.00	810.00	415.00
2005-08-09	1 Month Extension of Time	60.00	130.00	70.00
2006-01-09	Issue Fee Payment	700.00	1,510.00	810.00
2009-09-18	Paid Large Entity Maintenance Fee	980.00		0.00
	TOTAL			2125.00

Small entity status was established in good faith, and all previous small entity fees were paid in good faith at the time of filing the application and during patent prosecution. It has now become evident that such small entity status was established in error and Applicant wishes to correct this error through payment of deficiencies owed according to the table above.

To that end, Applicant prays petition for payment of fees is now complete, with proper itemization and that all formalities and payments properly correspond. The Director is herein also authorized to charge any fee deficiencies or credit any excess payments to our Deposit Account No. 50-3010.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Peter J. Bilinski", written over a horizontal line.

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